New Jersey Department of Transportation

Limited Scope Concept Development Training

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Today's Objectives

- Clarify the Limited Scope approach
 - What is it?
 - How is it different from the standard delivery process?
 - What type of projects should use it?
- Show you where to get guidance
- Answer Frequently Asked Questions

Limited Scope Purpose

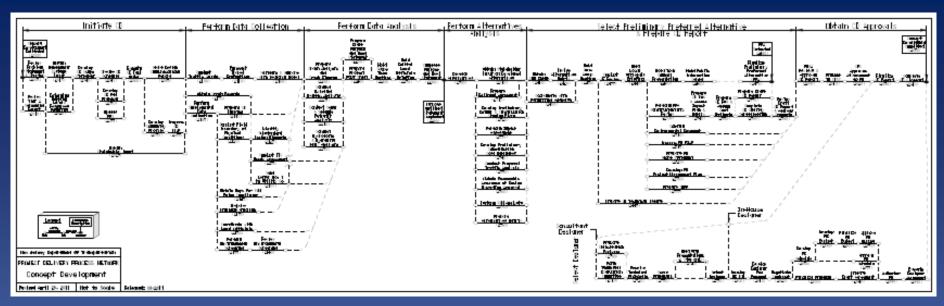
- Effectively administer the planning and design of proposed projects with minimal impacts
- Provide a customized platform of the standardized Concept Development Phase
- Eliminate non-applicable activities and deliverables

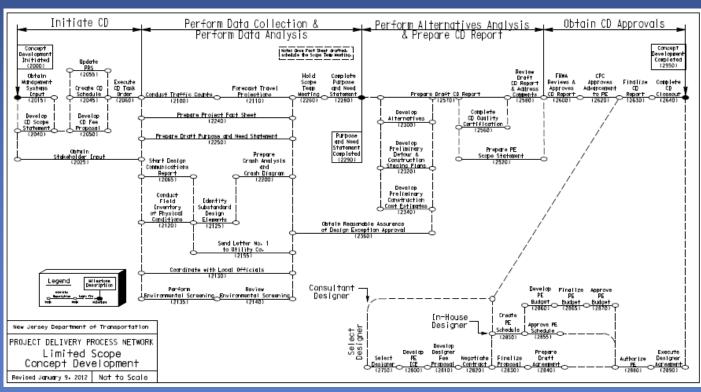
Limited Scope Approach vs. Standard

- Tailored for proposed projects with minimal impacts
- Established or set up specifically for proposed projects that fit a certain criteria
- Validates the assumptions as opposed to determining the solution
- Mostly generated from NJDOT Management Systems

The most common Limited Scope Projects?

- Pavement resurfacing (Mill X, Pave X + 1)
- Bridge deck/superstructure replacement
 - No ROW, Access, ITS
 - No utility relocation
 - Design Exception may be needed for bridge deck/superstructure replacement
 - Categorical Exclusion Document

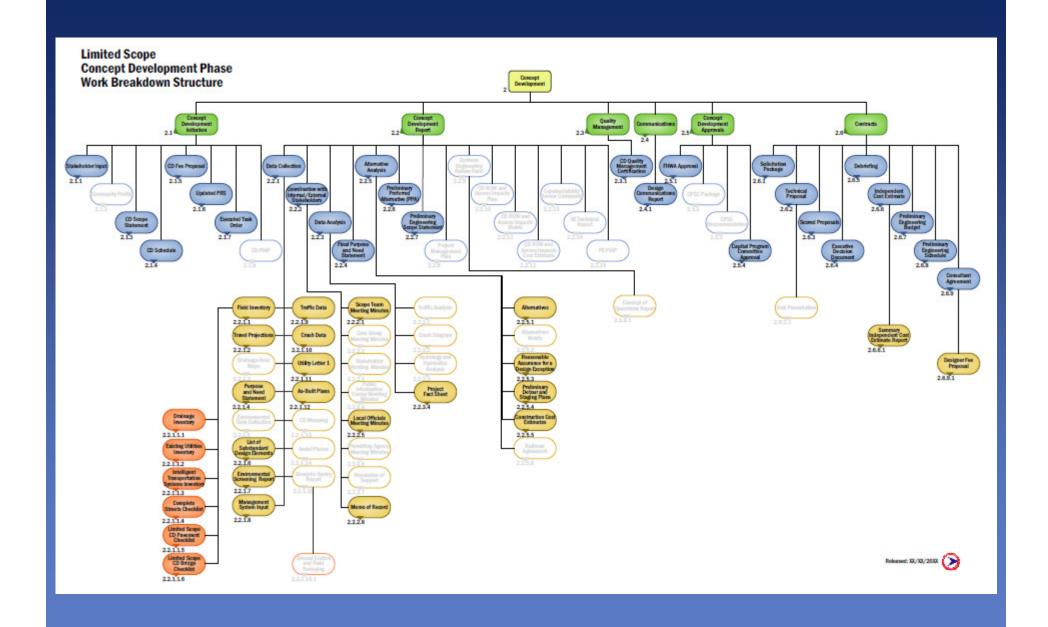




Limited Scope Vs Standard

3-6 months vs. 24 months

49 activities vs. 95 activities



Critical Success Factors

- Clear understanding of what Limited Scope is
- FHWA concurrence
- Appropriate project customization
- The right people at SME Field Inventory/
 Core Group meeting to make decisions for the proposed project

Limited Scope Tools

- Pavement checklist and Bridge checklist identifies what needs to be addressed
- Filled out with info obtained during the field trip and supplemented with SME input
- Helps verify applicability of Limited
 Scope approach

Limited Scope Resurfacing Definition

- Mill X" / Pave X" + 1"
 - Done to extend the service life of the pavement by 10 years
 - Greater than 1" throughout project limits is not limited scope
 - Per the Design Exception policy

Pavement Checklist

Limited Scope CD Report Sample -Pavement

Bridge Checklist

Limited Scope CD Report Sample - Bridge

Solicitations

Multi-Solicitation for Bridge
 Deck/Superstructure Replacement

One upcoming solicitation

Frequently Asked Questions

- Why was a Limited Scope developed?
- Does FHWA concur with the CD Limited Scope approach?
- Are bridge decks/superstructure and pavement resurfacing projects the only types of limited scope projects?
- Can you combine two types of limited scope projects?
- Can I further customize the CD Limited Scope schedule and scope?
- Is the Complete Streets Policy applicable on limited scope projects?

Frequently Asked Questions

- Do Federal ADA requirements need to be met on Limited Scope projects?
- When are design exceptions required?
- Does funding type dictate the process used?
- Why do I have to fill out the checklist?
- Have projects been completed under the CD Limited Scope process?
- Can a task order be used to perform CD Limited Scope?
- Do we need CPC approval to enter PE?

Frequently Asked Questions

- What happens if during CD it is determined that the project is not limited scope?
- Where do I get additional Project Delivery Process Guidance?
- Why do I need to go back to the website to get a new checklist?
- Will there be a PE Limited Scope and FD Limited Scope delivery process?

Questions for You

- Was this training helpful?
- Do you have any further questions regarding CD Limited Scope?